श्री सभापति: सदन की आज्ञा से प्रश्नकाल का समय मैं पांच मिनट और बढ़ाता हूं। आप बोलिए।

श्री शत्रुघ्न सिन्हा: अभी मैं नहीं कह सकता हूं कितनी लाइफ सेविंग ड्रग्स, जो ड्रग्स जीवन रक्षा करती हैं ... (व्यवधान) सारे सवाल तो मुझसे हो रहे हैं . . . (व्यवधान)

श्री सभापति: पूरी तैयारी है आपकी। अब ज्यादा अच्छा है आप बैठने की तैयारी करें

Health care facilities in the country

*199. MISS MABEL REBELLO: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the Doctor-Nurse ratio, doctor-population ratio, population per para-medical personnel and population per bed both in rural and urban areas during the last three years, State-wise;

(b) the percentage of the above resources owned and managed by Government;

(c) whether Government have any plan to increase the health care facilities in Government hospitals; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SHATRUGHAN SINHA): (a) to (d) A Statement is laid on the table of the House.

Statement

The information available in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare is annexed at Statement I to III (*See* below). Health being a State subject under the Constitution of India, it is the responsibility of the respective State to provide necessary health care facilities in their Government hospitals according to the need and resources available with them. The Central Government, however, apart from the assistance given under various Centrally sponsored schemes, also support the State Governments for upgrading secondary health care system with the World Bank assistance under State Health System Projects. So far as Central Government Hospitals are concerned, sufficient health care facilities are available there. Improvement/upgradation of health care facilities in the Central Government Hospitals is a continuous process and necessary measures are being taken in view of the advancement of medical science and available resources.

Statement-I

Registered Allopathic Medical Practitioners Nurses

(As on 31st Dec.)

Year	Population (in 000)	No of Regd. Allopathic Doctors	No. of Regd. Nurses	Population Served per Doctor	Population Served per Nurse	Doctor Nurse Ratio
1996	934218	477610	565696	1956.03	1651.45	1:1.18
1997	949878	496941	607376	1911.45	1563.90	1:1.22
1998	965607	514786	671341	1875.74	1438.33	1:1.30
1999	981324	535408	..	1832.85	..	..

.. Not Available

Source: i) Registrar General of India

ii) Medical Council of India

iii) Indian Nursing Council

Statement-II

Statement showing the Doctor-Nurse and Doctor, Nurse Ratio for the different years

	1999			2000			2001		
	Doctor	Nurse	Doctor Nurse	Doctor	Nurse	Doctor Nurse	Doctor	Nurse	Doctor Nurse
A.P	42398	78464	1:1.85	43102	78464	1:1.82	44575	81014	1:1.82
Assam	13763	2607	1:0.19	14253	8832	1:0.62	14586	9104	1:0.62
Bihar & Jharkhand	31551	8883	1:0.28	32226	8883	1:0.28	33070	8883	1:0.27
Gujarat	30786	82079	1:2.67	32177	69536	1:0.16	33653	69992	1:2.08
Haryana	1018	4344	1:4.27	1065	13436	1:12.62	1146	15821	1:13.81
H.P.	—	5854	NA	NA	5854	NA	—	5865	NA
Karnataka	54012	76955	1:1.42	57464	76955	1:1.34	61163	82420	1:1.35
Kerala	27908	52482	1:1.88	29087	58781	1:2.02	30173	58781	1:1.95
Mahakoshal & Chhattisgarh	17271	81354	1:4.71	18181	87361	1:4.81	19021	57940	1:4.62

	1999			2000			2001		
	Doctor	Nurse	Doctor Nurse	Doctor	Nurse	Doctor Nurse	Doctor	Nurse	Doctor Nurse
Maharashtra	75427	105835	1:1.4	79194	102721	1:1.3	82794	111624	1:1.35
Mizoram	NA	481	NA	NA	1461	NA	NA	1555	NA
Orissa	13661	33022	1:2.35	14009	38454	1:2.74	14315	38687	1:2.7
Punjab & Delhi1	57132	36986	1:0.65	59498	36986	1:0.62	62549	38678	1:2.62
Rajasthan	19189	21305	1:1.11	19744	25364	1:1.28	20438	25364	1:1.24
Tamil Nadu	61383	79881	1:1.3	63434	103568	1:1.63	65771	109670	1:1.67
Tripura	NA	483	NA	NA	493	NA	NA	495	NA
U P & Uttranchal	41713	15817	1:0.38	42452	16167	1:0.38	42452	16903	1:0.4
West Bengal	48377	51348	1:1.06	49261	43031	1:0.87	49941	43031	1:0.86
TOTAL	535590	737280	1:1.38	555147	776355	1:1.4	575647	805827	1:1.4

1 Assam = Assam + Arunachal Pradesh + Manipur + Meghalaya

2 Bihar = Bihar + Jharkhand

3 Madhya Pradesh = Madhya Pradesh + Chhattisgarh

4 Maharashtra = Maharashtra + Goa

5 Punjab = Punjab + Delhi+J&K

6 Tamil Nadu = Tamil Nadu + Andaman & Nicobar Islands + Pondicherry

7 West Bengal = West Bengal+Sikkim

MR. CHAIRMAN: I think, we can go to the next question.

MISS MABEL REBELLO: Sir

श्री सभापति: बैठिए, आप फिर पूछ लेना।

MISS MABEL REBELLO: Sir, kindly allow me to put supplementaries.

श्री सभापति: अब सप्लीमेंट्री आपके घर आ जाएगा।

कुमारी मैबल रिबैलो: एक तो सप्लीमेंट्री दे दीजिए, सर।

*200 [*The questioner (Shri K. Rahman Khan) was absent for answer vide page* 51.]

MR. CHAIRMAN: Question Hour is over. आज पूरे क्वेचन्स लिए गए। माननीय सदस्यों ने इतना सहयोग दिया, उनके प्रति मैं आभार प्रकट करता हूँ ।

श्री संघ प्रिय गौतम: मैं आपको बधाई देना चाहता हूं कि आज यह रिकार्ड है कि 20 सवाल पूछे गए।

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO STARRED QUESTIONS

Advertisements of social themes

*186. SHRI S.S. CHANDRAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BRAODCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that the advertisements, carrying social themes like population control, AIDS awareness, etc. are being telecast only in Hindi even by regional telecasting centres;

(b) if so, why the important messages carrying such advertisements are not shown in the respective regional languages to bring more awareness among the people;

(c) the action taken by Government to telecast such advertisements in the regional languages; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTIGN (SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ): (a) Prasar Bharati has informed that so far as Doordarshan is concerned, advertisements carrying social themes like population control, AIDS awareness etc. are telecast in Hindi on the National Channel and are telecast in the respective regional languages, from the Regional Kendras of Doordarshan.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

NEC Amendment Bill, 1998

*188. DR. ARUN KUMAR SARMA: Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 4800 given in the Rajya Sabha on 13th May 2002 and state:

(a) whether Government have obtained the views of concerned Ministries regarding NEC Amendment Bill, 1998;

(b) if so, the target set for introducing the Bill; and

(c) if not, the action taken to obtain the views and the time schedule finalized in this regard?